

The Daily Courant.

Thursday, November 5. 1702.

From the Amsterdam Gazette, dated Nov. 9.

The Journal of the Imperialists in Italy from the 16th of October to the 22d.

ON the 16th we forrag'd without loss; nothing of moment happen'd. On the 17th we forrag'd again with the usual Convoy. About 10 in the Morning the Enemy made a tripple discharge from all their Cannon and small Arms, for the Confederate Fleet and Army's retiring from before Cadiz, and the Arrival of the Plate Fleet at Vigo. On the 18th three small Parties of Hussars return'd to the Camp. One of them brought in 2 Captains, 30 Horses, some Mules and Baggage, which they took betwixt Pizzighitone and Cremona. The other 2 joyn'd together and cut off 12 of the Enemy near Guastalla; and near Modena lighted on some Carts loaded with Hay, which the Enemy was carrying into that Town; they took away 50 Oxen that drew the Carts, and brought them into the Camp. On the 19th, part of the Army forrag'd, our Parties brought in 20 Prisoners. On the 20th, The other part of the Army forrag'd, and our Parties brought in 20 Prisoners. On the 21st, 45 Prisoners more were taken. The Weather begins to be rainy, and the Ways to grow bad. Yesterday the Enemy blew up the Castle of Luzara. On the 22d, The Enemy blew up some Houses in Luzara. We do not understand why they ruin that place, for 'tis but an open Village. They have sent the heavy Cannon from their Camp, and, as the Deserters tell us, are ready to break up. To secure their Retreat, and march in Columns, they are repairing the great Roads. The Po is swell'd so high, that part of the Regiment of young Daun has been oblig'd to change their Post. The Enemy have drawn off 2 of their Cannon out of the Island. A Party of the Regiment of Starenberg brought in 26 Prisoners. Cornet Pezey of the Regiment of Ebergeni, who had been out a Fortnight with a Party of 47 Hussars, came back to the Camp, Near Cremona he took 2 Captains, and 1 Commissary with 1200 Pistoles about him. In his return he kill'd some of the Enemy, and brought in 30 Horses.

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From the French Army in Italy, Oct. 24. The Armies are extremely incommoded by the wet Weather. Our heavy Artillery is sent to Cremona. On the 22d in the Night, tho' the Weather was very foul, the Enemy made an Attempt to ruin our Bridge at Guastalla; but our Guard that was posted for the Defence of the Bridge, fir'd at them from some pieces of Cannon, sunk some of the Boats in which they came to execute their Design, and made the rest turn back again; on this occasion the Enemy had some Men kill'd and drowned. The new Works about Guastalla will be perfected next Week. The Peasants, and Deserters from the Imperialists, tell us, That their Infantry is making Barracks of Stone, and cover them with Planks. The swelling of the Po has oblig'd Prince Eugene to alter the Disposition of his Right Wing, and to remove his

Cannon from that side. Part of the Bridge on our Left has been carry'd away by the high Water.

From the Paris Gazette a la main, dated Nov. 6.

On the 4th a Courier arriv'd from the Duke de Vendome with Advice, That there had fallen so much Rain and Snow that the Camp was very miry, by which the Troops suffer'd great Hardships; and that the Carcases of the dead Horses had caus'd such a Stink, that he was oblig'd to remove his Camp to leave more Ground betwixt him and the Enemy. Prince Eugene, whose Army was alike incommoded, was oblig'd to move likewise. These Hardships will in all likelihood oblige them to make an end of the Campaign. Letters from Turin say, That the Imperialists threaten to block up Mantua this Winter; but the Duke of Vendome has sent a great number of Troops into that City under the Command of Count Thesse. The same Letters add, That the King of Spain had put off his Departure from Milan to the 3d instant. That Marshal Villeroy was arriv'd in Prince Eugene's Camp, who had appointed a Convoy to conduct him to the Duke of Vendome's, or to Milan.

Paris, Nov. 6. They write from Alfatia, That in all appearance the Prince of Baden will attack Newbourg, which is garrison'd with 3000 Men under Monsieur de Biron. The Infantry of the Army of Marshal Villars is on the German side of the Rhine, but his Horse is on the Island in that River, where they can encamp more commodiously. 'Tis advis'd that the Elector of Bavaria has possess'd himself of the Town of Guensburg in the Marquissate of Burgau, and of Kempen on the Iler. The Report, that Marshal Catinat and other General Officers would leave the Army in Germany, proves false. They write from Metz, That Count Tallard having joyn'd the Marquess de Loemaria, march'd on the 28th Ult. with 16000 Men to attack Traerbach, and that he has taken it.

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St. Goar, Nov. 5. The French have put the Country round us, and also the City of Worms, under Contribution; Bingen has agreed to pay 12000 Rixdollars; and Coblents is summon'd to send Deputies to treat with the French on the same Subject.

Ratisbon, Oct. 30. Last Friday it was propos'd in the Diet by the Director, that the Deputies should inform themselves what Quotas their several Courts would furnish towards the War, in order to comprise them in one General Resolution.

Breslau, Oct. 29. Within 3 Weeks, 7600 Saxons, which the King of Poland has lent the Emperor, will arrive on our Frontiers, to oppose the further Progress of the Bavarians.

Vienna, Oct. 28. Yesterday *Te Deum* was sung here for the Victory gain'd by Prince Lewis of Baden at Fridlingen, under a tripple Discharge of the Cannon on our Ramparts.

Milan, Oct. 19. The Brother of the Amirante of Castile, Governour of Alexandria, is taken into Custody by order of the King of Spain, on Suspicion of holding Correspondence with the Amirante.

Amsterdam, Nov. 8. 'Tis confirm'd from Rochel, that

that the English have taken and destroy'd several French Ships, on the Coast of St. Domingo.

Falmouth, Oct. 28. This day came in a Hoy, and a Transport Ship, with Horses on board, from Cadiz.

Dartmouth, Oct. 31. This Afternoon pass'd by, her Majesty's Ships the Eagle and the Sterling Castle, with 8 Transport Ships, also the Lenox with several Victuallers from the Great Fleet. It was thro' Misinformation said in our last, that these Ships with some of the Land-Forces on board, came from Vigo; whereas they parted from the Fleet before the Enterprize on the Galleons in Vigo could be resolv'd on. The 4 Companies of Lieutenant General Churchill's Regiment, that are on board the Ships above mention'd, are Capt. Meole's, Capt. Luke's, Capt. Lloyd's and Capt. Sloughers.

Plymouth, Nov. 1. This day came in the Elizabeth and Mary of London, a Transport Ship, with 28 Dragoons on board, which parted from the Great Fleet, soon after they came out of Cadiz. Also the Hurdis Galley, a Privateer, with 2 Prizes, 1 of about 60 Tuns laden with Deals, the other in Ballast. And a Privateer of Flushing came in with 2 Prizes, 1 from Newfoundland.

London, Nov. 4. My Lady Katharine Obryan dy'd yesterday Morning.

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